

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

Published every evening, Sunday excepted, by the Tonopah Bonanza Printing Co., Incorporated.

W. W. BOOTH, EDITOR AND MANAGER

Terms of Subscription for the Daily Bonanza

One Year	\$12.00	One Week	30
Six Months	6.00	One Month	1.00
Three Months	3.00	Three Months	3.00

MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for republication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also the local news published herein.

Entered at the postoffice in Tonopah as second class matter
Official Paper for the County of Nye and the Town of Tonopah

GERMANY AND HER LAST LIMIT.

The one safe attitude to take toward any amount of indemnity imposed on Germany for her war crimes is that whatever the amount, Germany ought to be made to pay it, if it is physically possible. Nothing that Germany can do can atone for her hideous crime against civilization. She cannot repay in coin, in building over devastated areas, in returning stolen property, in restoring slaves to their homes for the irreparable losses in blood, in suffering, in anguish, and in memories. These are items which can never be charged off the account humanity holds against Kultur.

But just as true as this is the folly of trying to compel her to pay what she cannot pay. Because some of the allies refuse to accept this fundamental fact the reparations issue has dragged along. If it should be found that at last Germany is telling the truth, that the latest sum she has offered represents the last sum that the German people can produce, then it will be infinitely better to accept it and let the world return to normal paths than to keep open a question that will never be settled otherwise.

Part of the difficulty in reaching an agreement has been the refusal of some of the allies to accept the figures estimated by the American experts as the extreme that Germany could pay without producing economic chaos in Europe and hence in the world. No person can sympathize with a nation guilty of the black crimes of Germany and yet for person with good judgment any point to pursuing a mirror that will never be realized.

BRINGING CRIMINALS TO TRIAL.

Announcement that the trials of 200 Germans, accused by the allies of crimes committed during the war, will take place at Leipzig beginning May 24, follows the preliminary hearings for taking testimony of witnesses that have been held at London recently. A number of British soldiers, who allege cruel and barbarous treatment in German prison camps and elsewhere, told their stories in a London court at the instance of German lawyers who have been engaged for the prosecution by the German government. London correspondents comment on the strange sight of German lawyers taking part in proceedings in a British court of justice and collecting evidence against military officers of their own country.

Whether or not one believes in the sincerity of the German government's move to bring the offenders to punishment, the force of the point made by the minister of justice must be conceded when he says he is "greatly handicapped by the fact that the alleged crimes were committed from five to seven years ago. The witnesses have scattered and some of the accused have left Germany and several are dead." In the circumstances the impossibility of convicting a large proportion of the accused is obvious, but even if only a few are found guilty and dealt with as they deserve, the example will be wholesome and worth while.

Charges of German atrocities rest upon definite evidence. The world knows what went on in the prison camps and in Belgium. It knows that German submarine commanders regarded the laws neither of God nor man. The day of reckoning has been long delayed, but it has come at last. And the civilized nations would not be true to themselves did they fail to demand punishment to the limit for the guilty.

JOHN BURROUGHS, MILLIONAIRE.

John Burroughs, whose death America mourns, died a poor man. His estate is appraised at only \$5000. A multitude of people who live and die in obscurity accumulate in their lives as much and more. And yet for all his poverty in material goods, John Burroughs lived and died a millionaire. He was rich—immensely rich—in his love for his fellowman, and in the love of his fellowman for him. He was rich, immensely rich—in the love for every living thing, and in the love of every living thing for him.

The birds and flowers and trees and all else loved John Burroughs. They opened their souls to him, and told him things vouchsafed to no other. And Burroughs, generous and wholehearted, shared with all men

this treasure. For that Americans hold him in affection. The news reports are in error when they say that John Burroughs died a poor man. He lived and died many times a millionaire. And the currency in which his wealth is measured never depreciates. That means much to all of us who inherit his estate.

TIPPING'S SPREAD.

It has been assumed that federal employees in positions to serve the public owe that service without additional compensation, yet it has been revealed that customs inspectors in New York have been working a rich field for graft in accepting bribes from incoming steamer passengers for examining baggage. As a result, ten inspectors are under charges of taking tips ranging from 25 cents to \$200, though they are paid by the government for the service they render.

der and could not give any favor to the passenger without depriving some other passenger of his rights or defrauding the government. And an important phase of the matter is a judicial decision that no law is violated in either soliciting or receiving tips.

A construction placed on the law would permit any government employee to demand a fee before rendering a service asked. Carried to its ultimate conclusion a postoffice clerk might solicit a tip for handing out a dime's worth of stamps. Or course there is a remedy and that is discharge, but a grafting employee must be caught at that. Abroad fees are not repugnant to government employees. The New York customs inspectors appear to have adopted the European method.

There have been many protests against the growing custom of being expected under many circumstances to pay for something and then throw in a gratuity in addition. Shoeshiners, waiters and barbers always hope for something extra. Yet it is un-American, and we have not a doubt, now that attention has been called to it, that congress will take steps to forbid the practice among federal employees. The laborer is worthy of his hire but he is not entitled to more than that and he is not entitled to be paid again for what he has been paid for once.

Yet it is the "easy" public that makes the tip practice possible. Were it insisted that the price fixed is en-

ough and the gratuity are graft, the custom would be broken up. The fear that one will be thought a "tightwad" drives many unwillingly to "give up," yet courage to do the right thing is all that is necessary.

MINE WORKERS' MERCANTILE CO.

GROCETERIA

PURITY SODA CRACKERS AND COOKIES

Soda Crackers, 1/2 case, per lb. 10c

Soda Crackers, 1/4 case, box 98c

Soda Crackers, No. 10 pkg. 17c

Soda Crackers, No. 20 pkg. 32c

Soda Crackers, No. 25 pkg. 38c

Graham Crackers, No. 10 pkg. 17c

Oatmeal Crackers, No. 10 pkg. 17c

Dandy Flakes, No. 10 pkg. 17c

Lemon Wafers, No. 10 pkg. 17c

Vanilla Wafers, No. 10 pkg. 17c

Swickback, No. 10, per pkg. 17c

Animal Crackers, No. 10, pkg. 17c

Berkeley Teas, No. 10, pkg. 17c

Cheese Sandwiches, No. 10 17c

Barrel Ginger Soap, per pkg. 37c

Fancy Assorted Iced Cookies, per lb. 45c

THE ONLY STORE IN TONOPAH THAT IS NOT OPERATING FOR A PROFIT

Bonanza Business Directory

BUSINESS

PROFESSIONS

TRADES

NEW TRILBY DIVIDE MINING COMPANY

D. F. Murphy, president; J. M. Fenwick, vice-president; E. Lang, secretary.

This company has been organized to take over the property and plant of the original

Trilby Divide Mining Company

which has been lost to the old company upon judgment, execution and sheriff's sale. Stockholders of the old company may obtain shares in the

New Trilby Divide Mining Co.

upon the surrender of the old certificates and the payment of 10c per share on or before the 31st day of March, 1921, after which date no further exchanges will be made.

The Trilby consists of four claims lying between the Rosetta and Gold Seam; has a shaft 180 feet deep, full working equipment, has splendid surface showings and is well worthy of development. We advise our customers who are not holders of Trilby stock to pick up, if possible, some of the old stock and pay the assessment. It will surely make you a big profit.

FENWICK & CO. TONOPAH, NEVADA

RESIDENT PIANO TUNER

I have lived in Tonopah for nine years and have enjoyed the patronage of the public for that length of time and have 194 pianos that I tune by the year. Contract \$7.50 any I have yours?

All churches and charitable organizations free.

HEN. T. BOWEN.

CHARLES A. DE FLON Attorney-at-Law TONOPAH, NEVADA

Room 203 State Bank Bldg.

W. R. GIBSON LAWYER

Room 204 State Bank Building

Phones: Office 622, Residence 623

HUGH HERNY BROWN WALTER ROWSON ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

Offices 312-316 State Bank & Trust Co. Building

Tonopah — — — Nevada

COOK, FRENCH, STODDARD

HATTON

LAWYERS

505 State Bank & Trust Bldg. TONOPAH NEVADA

FORMAN & McKNIGHT LAWYERS

316-319 State Bank Building TONOPAH NEVADA

HARRY C. STIMLER & CO. BROKERS

Represented on the Following Exchanges:

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK CURB

CHICAGO STOCK EXCHANGE

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCH.

We guarantee Prompt and Accurate Service. We solicit a share of your Patronage

OFFICE: MIZPAH HOTEL

TONOPAH NEVADA

WAH HING CO.

CHINESE HERBS A SPECIALTY

CENTRAL STREET TONOPAH

NORTH OF GREYSTONE

T. J. FLYNN & COMPANY

(Successors to)

Smith & Amann

BROKERS

Tonopah, Nevada

T. J. FLYNN, Manager

Wittenberg Warehouse and Transfer Company

DISTRIBUTORS FOR

UNION OIL COMPANY'S

GASOLINE

DISTILLATE AND LUBRICATING OILS

R. FRED BROWN

STOCK BROKER

Member San Francisco Stock Exchange

152 TONOPAH THRUWAY

151 Main Street

TONOPAH NEVADA

OLD NEWSPAPERS FOR SALE

Call for them at the warehouse

Just the thing for packing or to put under carpets. 25c per bundle

ANNOUNCEMENT

CALIFORNIA PETROLEUM AND REFINING COMPANY OF COLUSA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

THE OIL INDUSTRY, this company owns a perpetual lease upon 720 acres, right in the heart of the new oil district in Colusa County California and is now prepared to take subscriptions for treasury stock. The directors of this company a short time ago, authorized the sale of 100,000 shares of the Treasury stock at 25c per share, but since that time the company has practically made arrangements with the California Corporation Commission to sell its stock in that state, and when those arrangements have been completed the company will open an office either in San Francisco or Los Angeles and the price of the stock will be raised to 50c per share.

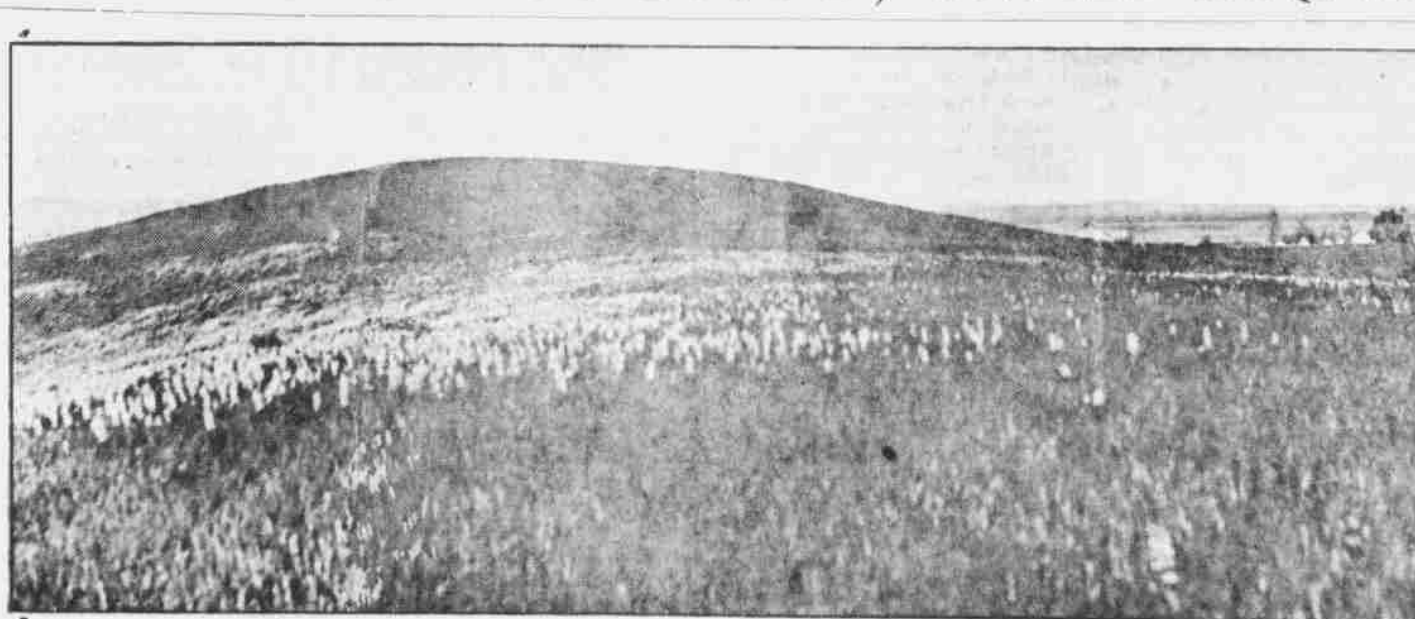
STATEMENT OF MR. T. J. MEDDOCK

THE CALIFORNIA PETROLEUM AND REFINING COMPANY

Gentlemen:

I take pleasure in sending you a brief statement upon your oil holdings of Colusa Co. California.

First of all, you are centrally located in what is almost certain to be in the near future one of the great oil producing districts of California. Next in



TO THE PUBLIC

After studying the outlines of this wonderful structure in the picture herewith presented and considering its significance in the oil world you should not fail to grasp the opportunity now available, visit our office now open, and see samples of oil produced in that district. The highest grade lubricating oil yet discovered, and brings the highest price paid for a crude product, also specimens of the formation, an oil shale with all sorts of fossils and shells cemented together. Although the district is quite new there are many drills now at work and many more will be working soon.

line is that most wonderful structure commonly called a "dome" or sign post for geologists. Undoubtedly this dome was forced up by great pressure, for it seemingly has no connection whatever with a glacier slide, considering the distance it lies from the nearest mountains, which is a low range, and practically no foothills.

The quality of the oil produced in that section is almost without an equal, and according to a cross section map made by the Tuscan Oil Company which is operating in that district, which I have examined thoroughly, and no doubt that company has proven to be correct, by the drillings of their well. I find that the formation and all surface indications are most excellent. After a further and more thorough examination which I will make very soon I will forward to you a full detailed report, and the possibility of your property.

Respectfully
(Signed) T. J. MEDDOCK,
Licensed and Authorized Engineer of the State of California.

OFFICE OF COMPANY

UNDER POST OFFICE BUILDING

TONOPAH, NEVADA

NEVADA FIRST NATIONAL BANK of TONOPAH REGISTRAR

DIRECTORS OF COMPANY

W. H. EDWARDS, THOS. LINDSAY (Mine Operator and Leading Merchant of Tonopah).

PETER J. SOMERS, A. G. RAYCRAFT (Cashier First National Bank, Tonopah).

M. F. EDWARDS